

# Abigail Morrow

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## Experience

### **Program Coordinator | Camp Blue Spruce, Portland, OR.....June 2020 - Present**

- Develops curriculum, manages staff and communicates with parents and participants to promote successful engagement with Allergy Pals programming for youth with dietary restrictions.
- Within six months, restructured programs and realigned offerings with new mission and vision.
- Recruits and mentors undergraduate and high school volunteers, increasing involvement by 150%.
- Founded youth leadership development program for high school students to gain new skills in advocacy.

### **Workshop Instructor | Midwest Writing Center, Rock Island, IL.....June 2020 - October 2020**

- Created and led supportive workshop environments while guiding high school-age writers in developing their voice, analyzing and workshopping texts, and creating publication-ready pieces.

### **Literacy Tutor | Iowa Reading Corps, Bettendorf, IA.....September 2019 - July 2020**

- Assisted students in 1st - 3rd grades in improving their literacy skills through daily tutoring sessions.
- Created and led activities to promote literacy and social-emotional learning skills for a new afterschool program focused on thirty elementary students identified as at-risk for graduation.

### **Graduate Assistant | Figge Art Museum, Davenport, Iowa.....August 2018 - May 2019**

- Facilitated student learning through community outreach and Young Artist exhibitions, while engaging visitors of all ages in art experiences, monthly Family Days activities, and group field trips.

### **Publications Intern | Iowa Youth Writing Project, Iowa City, IA.....May 2018 - August 2018**

- Conceptualized, designed, and published the first edition of YOUTHQUAKE, a digital magazine showcasing IYWP campers' work.
- Collaborated with a team to gather art, written work, and photography for publication, and facilitated youth learning through exciting and innovative community outreach activities.

## Education

### **Western Illinois University--Quad Cities, Moline, IL.....August 2018 - May 2020**

Master of Arts in Museum Studies

### **University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA.....August 2014 - May 2018**

Bachelor of Arts in English | Certificate in Museum Studies | Certificate in Writing | Minor in History

### **Professional Coursework & Certifications**

Foundations in Youth Development | Iowa State University, Ames, IA

Youth Mental Health First Aid | Tanager Place, Cedar Rapids, IA

## Leadership

### **President | Graduate Experience in Museum Studies (GEMS).....Dec. 2019 - Dec. 2020**

Revised the role of president by restructuring weekly meetings and planning new club events.

### **President | University of Iowa Knitting Club.....August 2016 - May 2018**

Supported club members by hosting weekly meetings, organizing field trips, and recruiting at fairs.

### **Vice President of Membership | Alpha Phi Omega Service Fraternity.....May 2016 - May 2017**

Led the Pledge Education program, coordinated event-planning committees, and supervised pledges.